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REMARKS

1. The restricted area of Schlosskoppel, Neustrelitz (N 54/U 54), which was surrounded by a board fence about 2 meters high, was occupied by 200 to 300 troops wearing red-bordered black epaulets between 7 and 14 December 1950. No heavy weapons were observed. (1)
2. The restricted area of Schlossgarten on Burgstrasse had a quartering capacity of approximately 400 men. A unit of one officer and 64 IM wearing red-bordered black epaulets left the restricted area on 10 December, marching to the hospital on Luisenstrasse. Twenty-one soldiers who were apparently recruits, and who wore red-bordered black epaulets, entered the billeting area on 13 December. (1)
3. The Alte Grenadier-Kaserne on Ernst Thaelmannstrasse quartered about 300 troops. On 11 December, 54 soldiers who wore red-bordered black epaulets and who were led by a military band of four or five men, marched out of the installation. About 24 of them then boarded truck headed toward Bernhard Goeringstrasse, formerly Elisabethstrasse. The musicians departed toward the Markt (market square). Before the troops left the barracks installation, the military band play for about two minutes. Since this ceremony was observed frequently at the same hour, it was a guard mount.
4. There were an estimated 1000 Soviet troops quartered in the restricted area on Glanbeck Lake, east of Hohenzieritzerstrasse. Three sentries wore red-bordered black epaulets. The board fence around the large billeting area permitted only a partial view into the restricted area. were seen.
5. The restricted area on Routerstrasse was occupied by soldiers who wore red-bordered black epaulets. There was no vehicular traffic. (2)
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Comments.

- (1) The restricted area of Schlosskoppel is in the southern sector of Neustrelitz, east of Parkstrasse and west of Tiergarten. [redacted] reported a Tiergarten restricted area as occupied by 200 to 300 men in mid-November 1950. [redacted]

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[redacted] that a restricted area of Tiergarten was located south of Tiergartenstrasse, it appears that the restricted areas mentioned above are not identical. A third restricted area is located in this sector of the town, west of the castle and northwest of Kastanienallee.

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- (2) Compare with similar information of mid-November [redacted]

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- (3) [redacted]

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